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Warren Man in Jail After Illegally Renting Out City-Owned Home

Warren, MI – Daniel Ray Rietdorf is in the Warren jail after he was arrested by Warren police for collecting rent for a city-owned home.

The house at 12748 Georgiana in the 8 Mile – Schoenherr neighborhood was purchased by the city from the county treasurer on August 8, 2016 for non-payment of property taxes for three consecutive years.

Rietdorf, who resides at 20904 Waltham in the same neighborhood, was charged by Warren police for obtaining money under false pretenses after collecting cash payment for rent on a house he did not own.

According to individuals who made the payments, they were told by Rietdorf that “his aunt owned the house and she was giving the house to him.”

Rietdorf took \$435 from two occupants who have agreed to move from the home.

Warren Mayor Jim Fouts said Rietdorf’s “scam was one of the worst he has seen as mayor.”

“Two families who thought Rietdorf was the legitimate owner paid him cash thinking he was the landlord. To me, that’s outright theft,” said Fouts.